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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

H. VOLLMERS et al..

Examiner: A. Harris

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Title: SUBSTANCE FOR OBTAINING HIGHLY EFFECTIVE TUMOR
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 12, 2002, please amend the above-
referenced application and amend the claims as indicated below.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claim 2 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please amend claim 1 as follows:

1 (Thrice Amended) An isolated glycoprotein that comprises at least one section of the
human amino acid primary structure of CD55 and a tumor-specific glycostructure, wherein the
glycostructure reacts with monoclonal antibody SC-1.

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